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SUBJECT: BROWN-BOVERI TRANSFORMER DUMPING CASE

REF: STATE 75175

1. IN CONVERSATION WITH VISITING DEPARTMENT OF STATE OFFICER (GEORGE; EUR/CE) AND EMBOFF JUNE 6, AMBASSADOR JACOBI OF SWISS DIVISION OF COMMERCE EXPRESSED HOPE THAT LONG-STANDING DUMPING CASE INVOLVING LARGE POWER TRANSFORMERS SOLD IN US BY BROWN-BOVERI AND CO., LTD. (BBC), COULD SOON BE RESOLVED.

2. WE RESPONDED THAT NEXT PROCEDURAL STEP SEEMED TO BE VERIFICATION BY US CUSTOMS OF TECHNICAL AND COMMERCIAL STATEMENTS MADE IN BBC SUBMISSIONS AND THAT WITH COOPERATION BBC AND DIVISION OF COMMERCE SUCH VERIFICATION BY FRED MCGREEVY OF CUSTOMS OFFICE IN ROME SCHEDULED BEGIN JUNE 17 WITH BBC REPS. (BECAUSE OF COMMERCIAL SECRECY PROVISION IN SWISS PENAL CODE, VISIT TO PLANT OR HEADQUARTERS IN BADEN NOT POSSIBLE; THUS MEETING ARRANGED AT NEUTRAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE PREMISES IN NEARBY CITY OF AARAU. MCGREEVY WILL VISIT EMBASSY IN BERN PRIOR BEGINNING VERIFICATION PROCEDURE AND WILL ALSO

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MEET APPROPRIATE SWISS DIVISION OF COMMERCE OFFICIAL.)

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